Center for Slavic and East European Studies

Newsletter

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SPECIAL COURSE OFFERINGS, SPRING SEMESTER 1987

The Slavic Center calls to your attention the following special courses to be offered in the spring semester by the Center's Executive Director and by two Center-sponsored visiting professors.

Economics 260C, Economic Systems: Case Studies of the Soviet Union and Other Non-Market Economies

Emphasis on agriculture in the USSR and other communist countries; the place of agriculture in the larger economy and society, and the role of agriculture in the economic development of those countries.

Professor Karl-Eugen Waedekin, Visiting Professor Time and Place: TBA

Professor Waedekin, Professor of Economics, Liebig University, Giessen, F.R.G., and head of the Research Center on Continental Agriculture at that university, is a leading authority on Soviet and East European agriculture.

<u>Political Economy of Natural Resources 152. Advanced Topics in Development Emphasis on the role of agriculture in the economic development of communist countries.</u>

Professor Karl-Eugen Waedekin, Visiting Professor

Lecture: MW 10-11, 223 Wheeler Discussion: F 10-11, 321 Haviland

History 100. Studies in Medieval Russian Culture

History of Russian art and architecture from the 11th to the early 18th century; all lectures slide-illustrated.

Dr. Jack Kollmann, Executive Director of the Slavic Center TuTh 2-3:30, 2009 Life Sciences Building

Dr. Kollmann has previously taught Russian art history at Harvard University Extension, Wellsley College and Stanford University.

Political Science 229B, Soviet Foreign Policy: Conflicts and Patterns of Conflict Between the USSR and Other Communist States

Professor Jacques Levesque, Visiting Professor of Political Science
W 10-12, 790 Barrows

Professor Levesque is Professor of Political Science at the University of Quebec, Montreal.

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The U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, USSR Section, has an opening for a research position. Analysts in this branch focus on the short-run outlook for agricultural production and trade for countries in the Soviet and East European agricultural region and the implications for U.S. trade. Applicants should have a strong academic record, at least an MA or MS degree in economics and a good reading knowledge of Russian. Doctoral level course work in economics and knowledge of agricultural economics and sciences is desirable. Starting salaries: \$21,804 for a recent master's graduate, \$31,619 for a new Ph.D., and higher for recruits with appropriate post-graduate work experience. Contact Kathryn Zeimetz, USSR Section Leader, or Kenneth Gray, U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, Eastern Europe and USSR Branch, International Economics Division, 1301 New York Ave. NW, Rm. 832, Washington, D.C. 20005-4788, tel. (202)786-1712.

The U.S. Agriculture Department's USSR Section announces a temporary position for an economic research assistant. Prospective applicants may be currently enrolled as graduate students, should have training in Russian and/or an Eastern European language and be willing to work with computers and have experience and training in statistics, economics and computer software. Salary starts at \$6-7 hourly. Position could lead to a full-time permanent position, if individual has a strong background in economics. Contact Kenneth Gray, address and telephone as above.

Occidental College announces a full-time position for an Assistant Professor in Russian. Candidates should have Ph.D. in hand, fluent Russian, experience teaching undergraduate language courses, be able to teach Russian culture and civilization, and have definite research interests. Core courses covering art, architecture, literature and music will be taught in cooperation with a professor from the Political Science Department. Candidates should be able to conduct lectures in English and be willing to participate in the univertsity's general education program by teaching a freshman writing course. A curriculum vitae plus three recommendations, including one from a present or former student should be sent to Professor Eric A. Frey, Russian Search Committee, Dept. of Language and Linguistics, Occidental College, 1600 Campus Rd., Los Angeles, CA 90041, tel. (213)259-2731. APPLICATION DEADLINE: November 15, 1986.

The University of the Pacific announces the opening of a tenure-track position (Assistant Professor) in Russian language/culture/literature, starting Fall 1987, contingent upon establishment of a School of International Studies. Candidates should have a Ph.D. or advanced ABD with native or near native fluency, strong commitment to language teaching and expertise in proficiency-based language instruction and testing. Certification in oral proficiency testing and expertise in a second foreign language are also desirable. Send dossier to Janine Kreiter, Chair, Modern Language and Literature Department, University of the Pacific, Stockton, CA 95211. APPLICATION DEADLINE: January 15, 1987.

The Department of National Security Affairs at the <u>U.S. Naval Postgraduate School</u>, Monterey, CA is seeking tenure-track faculty members for its expanding program in Soviet Studies. The Department offers graduate programs in area studies, strategic planning, and intelligence and seeks

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candidates with analytic skills and interest in Soviet military and maritime matters. Applicants must hold a Ph.D. in Soviet Studies or Soviet Economics, know Russian, and have demonstrated research and teaching ability. Top-secret security clearance required after employment. In addition to two tenure-track openings, visiting appointments are available. Send applications to: Professor P. J. Parker, Department of National Security Affairs, Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, CA 93943.

The University of Minnesota in Duluth announces a tenure-track opening for an Assistant Professor of Russian History. Contact: Department of History, University Of Minnesota, Duluth, MN 55812, tel. (218) 726-7253. APPLICATION DEADLINE: November 21, 1986.

The <u>Rand Corporation</u> seeks to add to its research staff in Santa Monica a political scientist specializing in Eastern Europe, with a secondary interest in Soviet and/or West European affairs. Desired qualifications include a Ph.D., expertise in one or more East European countries, and research interests in East European political and military affairs and American foreign and defense policy. U.S. citizenship required. Address inquiries to: Dr. A. Ross Johnson, Associate Director, International Security Policy Research, The Rand Corporation, Santa Monica, CA 90406-2138.

Radio Free Europe/Radio Liberty, Inc., located in Munich, announces vacancies for the following positions: Soviet Foreign Affairs Analyst; Russian Research Editor; Soviet Military Specialist; Research Analyst for Central Asian and Turkic Affairs; Specialist on Islam; Research Analyst of Azeri Affairs. Detailed job descriptions are available at the Slavic Center. Contact: Director of Personnel, RFE/RL, Inc., Oettingenstrasse 67, 8000 Munich 22, West Germany, or Ms. Mal Theoharous, RFE/RL, Inc., 1201 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Washington, DC, 20036. Those interested and attending the AAASS Meeting in New Orleans, November 20-23, should leave their name and telephone at the RFE/RL convention booth to arrange a meeting with RFE/RL representatives.

Technical Assistance International is looking for candidates to fill service positions formerly held by Russian nationals at the U.S. Embassy in Moscow. Requirements for these postions are: U.S. citizenship; Russian language capability of FSI 2/2 or higher; desire to spend a minimum of two years in the Soviet Union; some practical or intellectual skill required by the program. Full pay, travel, housing and benefits provided. Applicants should send a letter of introduction and a resume, stating academic and practical qualifications to: Mr. Hayward S. Melville, President, Technical Assistance International, Inc., 23228 Hawthorne Blvd., Suite 220, Torrance, CA 90505.

The <u>International Research and Studies Program</u> provides grants to conduct research and studies to improve and strengthen instruction in modern foreign languages, area studies and related fields. Funding priorities are: 1) improved teaching methodologies for modern foreign languages; 2) foreign language proficiency testing; 3) foreign language acquisition processes. Proposals which involve the use of computers for improving foreign language instruction and for projects that involve the development of instructional

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materials for uncommonly taught foreign languages are also solicited. For further information contact: Robert R. Dennis, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, ROB-3, Rm. 3035, Washington, DC, 20202. APPLICATION DEADLINE: December 2, 1986.

USIA Soviet Exhibit Guides. The U.S. Information Agency is recruiting Russian-speaking exhibit guides for eight- to ten-months tours of the USSR with official U.S. cultural exchange exhibitions. Applicants must be fluent in Russian, at least 21 years of age, U.S. citizens, and in good health. Gross salary is \$1,100/month; transportation, training, room and board provided; must be able to interpret the history and culture of the American people and have an understanding of domestic and international issues. Send SF-171 (available at the Slavic Center office) to: USIA, Office of Personnel, Special Services Branch, Rm. 524, 301 4th Street, SW, Washington, DC 20547.

The Stanford Center for International Security and Arms Control announces the availibility of a limited number of fellowships for the 1987-88 academic year. Eligible candidates include graduate students (Ph.D. level) who are planning to write dissertations on problems of international security and arms control, as well as more advanced scholars from U.S. and foreign universities who wish to add a specialization in arms control and international security through an academic year of concentrated study. Awards based on the level of applicant's education and work experience, and range from \$8,750 to \$17,500 for the academic year. Additional funds may be available for travel, research and related activities. For futher information contact: Coit D, Blacker, Associate Director, Center for International Security and Arms Control, 320 Galvez Street, Stanford University, Stanford, CA 94305-6165. APPLICATION DEADLINE: March 6, 1987. Awards will be announced in early April, 1987.

The <u>Kennan Institute</u> is seeking to fill the position of Program Associate who will serve as the Institute's coordinator of administration, manage the Institute's budget, direct a staff of seven and a continuously rotating group of resident scholars, and engage in fund-raising for the Kennan Institute's program and administrative activities. Applicants should have appropriate qualifications and experience; proven administrative abilities, including complex budgetary and fund-raising experience; demonstrated competence at writing reports. Knowledge of Russian and Soviet studies and the Russian language is highly desirable. Applicants should submit a Personal Qualifications Statement (SF-171) and a supplemental list, citing specific examples of experience and training applicable to each of the above-listed major duties. Send applications to: Administrative Office, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, 1000 Jefferson Drive SW, Washington, DC 20560.

CZECH TO ENGLISH TRANSLATION. The journal <u>RE/SEARCH</u> is looking for volunteers interested in translating articles by and about Prague surrealist artists. Translators of Romanian and Croatian may also be needed. For further information, contact Richard Vaara, Guest Editor for this issue, at 861-1327.

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ACLS FELLOWSHIPS FOR RESEARCH AND TRAINING IN RUSSIAN AND SOVIET STUDIES. The American Council of Learned Societies and the Social Science Research Council announce the availability of fellowships for graduate training and postdoctoral research in Russian and Soviet studies and in East European studies for 1987-88. Competition for these awards will be administered by the Joint Committee on Soviet Studies (JCSS) and the Joint Committee on Eastern Europe (JCEE) of these two Councils. These programs complement fellowships offered by IREX for research in the USSR and East Europe, and are intended to support work done outside of the host country. Programs offered this year in Russian and Soviet Studies and in East European Studies:

- 1) Fellowships for Graduate Training. Provide recipients with annual stipends of up to \$15,000 and extend for 24 months, subject to performance review at the end of the first 12 months.
- 2) <u>Dissertation Fellowships</u>. Provide up to \$15,000 for up to one year of support for students who have completed research on a doctoral dissertation.
- 3) <u>Postdoctoral Fellowships</u>. For the improvement of academic employment and tenure opportunities of new Ph.D.s in any disicpline of the social sciences and humanities, provides fellowship stipends totalling \$27,000 for three years of summer support plus one semester free of teaching for scholars who are untenured.

For further information on programs in Russian and Soviet Studies, contact JCSS, Fellowship Program, Social Science Research Program, 605 Third Avenue, New York, NY 10158; for East European Studies, contact JCEE Fellowship Program, American Council of Learned Societies, 228 East 45th Street, New York, NY 10017-3398. APPLICATION DEADLINE FOR ALL PROGRAMS: December 1, 1986



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

CONFERENCE: HUNGARY 1956-1986. Detailed program on Fri Oct 31-Sat Nov 1 following page. Stanford LECTURE: ANNA LJUNGGREN, Visiting Scholar at Yale University Mon Nov 3 from the University of Stockholm, will speak in Russian on 88 Dwinelle "The Enigmatic Everyday Word of Annensky: His Archaisms and 4 pm Gallicisms." Sponsored by the Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures. SLAVIC HOUSE TEA: CONOR DALY, graduate student in Wed Nov 5 2347 Prospect linguistics. Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures. will give a slide presentation and talk based on field work 6:30 pm conducted this past summer among Russian immigrants in Alaska. Fri Nov 7 SOVIET TELEVISION SCREENING: Selected programs from the 4 Dwinelle previous week's broadcasts of Soviet television will be viewed. Paul Karpuk, graduate research assistant in charge Noon of the Soviet Satellite TV Project, will introduce the videotape selections and help with translation. Wed Nov 12 BAG LUNCH: DR. ALLAN URBANIC, Associate Librarian, Slavic 442 Stephens Collections, will speak on "Slavic Collections and the UC Noon Berkeley Libraries." Wed Nov 12 SLAVIC DEPARTMENT GRADUATE COLLOQUIUM: DAVID FRICK, Assistant Professor of Slavic Languages and Literatures, UC 88 Dwinelle 4 pm Berkeley, will speak on "Polish Cultural Models and Ruthenian Writing in the Early Seventeenth Century." Wed Nov 12 SLAVIC HOUSE TEA: JACK KOLLMANN, Executive Director 2347 Prospect of the Slavic Center, will give a slide presentation of his 6:30 pm recent trip to the Soviet Union. His itinerary included Moscow and Leningrad, and a cruise along the Don and Volga Rivers, from Rostov-on-the-Don to Kazan', with stops in Volgograd and Ulyanovsk. SOVIET TELEVISION SCREENING: See Nov 7 listing for Fri Nov 14 142 Dwinelle description. Noon Wed Nov 19 SLAVIC HOUSE TEA: MARK SAROYAN, graduate student in Political Science, will show slides and lead a discussion 2347 Prospect

Fri Nov 21 <u>SOVIET TELEVISION SCREENING</u>: See Nov 7 listing for description.

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based on his experiences in the Armenian Soviet Socialist

6:30 pm





THE CENTER FOR RUSSIAN AND EAST EUROPEAN STUDIES, STANFORD UNIVERSITY announces a conference:

HUNGARY 1956-1986: THIRTY YEARS OF EASTERN EUROPE

OCTOBER 1956: RECALLED AND REMEMBERED

Friday, October 31, 1:30 to 5:30 p.m., Tressider Union, Cypress N & S

Welcoming Remarks: Donald Kennedy, President of Stanford University Chair: Professor Peter Kenez, University of California, Santa Cruz

Speakers: Dr. Gyorgy Bence, Research Fellow, Institute on East Central
Europe, Columbia University
Professor Andrew Janos, University of California, Berkeley
Professor Bela Kiraly, Institute on East Central Europe, Columbia
University
Professor Janos Radvanyi, Mississippi State University

THE PERDURABLE THEMES: HUNGARY 1956, CZECHOSLOVAKIA 1968, POLAND 1980/81 Friday, October 31, 8:15 to 10:15 p.m., CERAS LGI, Stanford

Introduction: The Honorable Thomas P. Lantos, Member of Congress, Honorary Chair

Chair: Professor Rudolf Tokes, University of Connecticut

Speakers: Professor Alex Pravda, Royal Institute of International Affairs,
London
Professor Joseph Rothschild, Columbia University

Conference Chair: Professor Alexander Dallin, Center for Russian & East European Studies, Stanford

EASTERN EUROPE, 1956-1968
Saturday, November 1, 9 a.m. to 12 noon, Tressider Union, Cypress N & S

Chair: Professor Jane Leftwich Curry, Santa Clara University

Speakers: Professor Charles Gati, Columbia University
Dr. Peter Hardi, Institute for East-West Security Studies, NY
Professor Kenneth Jowitt, University of California, Berkeley
Professor Sarah Meiklejohn Terry, Tufts University

ALTERNATIVE WESTERN POLICIES AND APPROACHES TO EASTERN EUROPE Saturday, November 1, 2 to 5 p.m., Tressider Union, Cypress N & S

Chair: Professor Andrzej Korbonski, UCLA and RAND

Speakers: The Honorable Nathaniel Davis, Harvey Mudd College (Claremont)
Professor Bennett Kovrig, University of Toronto

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